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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Abhimanyu O. Patil, et.al) Before the Examiner:
U. S. Serial No.: 10/081,321) Thuan D. Dang
Filed: February 22, 2002) Confirmation No.: 9425
For: SELECTIVE COUPLING OF TERMINAL) Group Art Unit: 1764
OLEFINS WITH ETHYLENE TO) Family No.: P2002J021
MANUFACTURE LINEAR α -OLEFINS)

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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In response to the First Office Action of July 10, 2003 (Paper No. 3),
please amend the instant application as follows:

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Transmittal herewith is an amendment/response in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made, if and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$ _____ to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

The fee for any changes in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(5) Present Extra	(6) Rate	(7)
Total Claims	24	Minus	29		x 18.00	0
Indep. Claims	1	Minus	3		x 86.00	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					\$290.00	0
FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						0

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The total fee for this AMENDMENT, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account No. 05-1330.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1330. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

Oct 10, 2003

Date of Signature

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